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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI: ATL LIMITED

REF: STATE 195697

FOLLOWING WTDR SUBMITTED ON FCIA CREDIT INSURANCE REQUEST TO
COVER SALE OF MGD METRO SET AND ACCESSORIES TO AUTOMATIC
TOTALISATORS LIMITED (NOW CALLED ATL LIMITED):

1. AUSTRALIA
OFFICE USE: 2. 602 3. 0697500 4. 06
5. ATL LIMITED
6. P.O. BOX 21, RYDE N.S.W. 2112; NANCARROW AVENUE
7. MEADOWBANK N.S.W. 2144
8. CONTACT: J.G. RIDDLE
9. TITLE: CHAIRMAN
OTHER OFFICIAL: J.R. PALMER, SECRETARY
10. PHONE: 807-0711 11. TELEX: AA22705
12. CABLE: TOTALLING SYDNEY
13. ESTABL: 1911 14. EMPL: 700 15. SIZE: LARGE
16. REPUTATION: Y-GOOD 17. RPT DATE: 08/78
OFFICE USE: 18. K 19. NA 20. NA 21. NA 22. NA
23A. 38243/0 MFR OF TOTALISATOR BETTING EQUIPMENT
23B. 38293/0 MFR OF AUTOMATIC TURNSTILES
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23C. 36623/0 MFR OF HOSPITAL CALLING SYSTEMS, CONTROL
AND ALARM EQUIPMENT
23D. 34699/0 MFR OF MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION PLATES,
COMMERCIAL/STREET SIGNS
23E. 35452/0 MFR OF PRECISION TOOLS
24. FOREIGN SALES: UNITED STATES, NEW ZEALAND, EUROPE,
SOUTH AMERICA, SOUTH EAST ASIA, SOUTH AFRICA

25. FINANCIAL REF: COMMONWEALTH TRADING BANK OF AUSTRALIA,
MARTIN PLACE, SYDNEY

26. TRADE REF: NA

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NA

28. POST EVALUATION: COMPANY PRIMARILY MANUFACTURES AND
OPERATES TOTALISATOR BETTING EQUIPMENT, IN USE ON OVER
300 RACETRACKS IN 34 COUNTRIES. FACTORIES MAINTAINED AT
MEADOWBANK (N.S.W.), AUCKLAND (NEW ZEALAND), AND NEWARK,
DELAWARE, ALSO BRANCHES IN ALL AUSTRALIAN STATES, UNITED
STATES, NEW ZEALAND, AND OUTLETS IN EUROPE, SOUTH AMERICA,
SOUTH EAST ASIA, AND SOUTH AFRICA. FIRM CHANGED NAME
FROM AUTOMATIC TOTALISATORS LIMITED TO PRESENT ONE EARLY
1978. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL AUS DOLS 5 MILLION, ISSUED 2.9
MILLION. BANKER REPORTS COMPANY TRADES PROFITABLY AND
FINANCIAL STRUCTURE SOUND. DIRECTORS CONSIDERED RELIABLE
AND FIRM SAFE FOR TRADE ENGAGEMENTS GENERALLY. ATL IS
WELL ESTABLISHED AND ENJOYS, TO POST'S KNOWLEDGE, A GOOD
COMMERCIAL REPUTATION. WE CONSIDER FIRM A SATISFACTORY
TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. COMPANIES.

29. PREP: PATRICIA HUNTER APPR: THOMAS J. HAWLEY
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